- 17. Process according to claim 12, wherein a plastic film, to which the other layers are extruded in a single process operation, is provided as the substrate web (2, 5; 22, 25).
- 18. Process according to claim 12, wherein at least the substrate web is oriented.
- 19. Process according to claim 18, wherein the entire coextrudate is oriented.
- 20. Multilayer coextrudate produced in accordance with the process as described in claim 12, wherein at least two plastic films (2, 5; 22, 25) are provided, between which a layer of adhesive (3, 23) and a further layer (4, 24) that has release properties with respect to the adhesive are located.
- 21. Multilayer coextrudate according to claim 20, wherein further layers (26) are provided that are located on either or both sides of the plastic films.
- 22. Multilayer coextrudate according to claim 20, wherein at least part of the coextrudate structure is oriented.

REMARKS

By this Preliminary Amendment, the application has been amended to conform with U.S. practice, the cross-reference to

related applications has been inserted on page 1 and claims 1-11 have been replaced by new claims 12-22. No new matter has been introduced. Entry of this amendment is respectfully requested.

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